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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please make the following changes with respect to the parent
patent application referred to above:

In the specs:

On page 4, line 16 insert the following passage:

incorporated in sub-spec
A1 Fig. 5 shows a cross sectional view of hinged embodiment.
Figs. 6 and 7 top view of alternate embodiment where a tube
can be branched.

On page 5, line 21 insert the following passage:

incorporated in sub-spec
A2 Another possible alternative embodiment is that shown in
fig. 5 that is a cross sectional view. This illustrates a
hinged version of the invention in which the trough would be
constructed as two halves, an upper half 24 and a lower half
26 with a hinged connection 22 between the two halves. The
hinge, of course, allows the two halves to pivot in relation
to one another. The division between the halves should be

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